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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

*In re* application of:

Stephen P. MANGIN, et al.

Application No.

10/696,845

Filed:

For:

October 29, 2003

Apparatus With Visual Marker For Guiding

Deployment Of Implantable Prosthesis

Art Unit:

3738

Examiner:

PRONE, Christopher D.

Date:

March 28, 2006

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of 3-month(s) (from December 31, 2005 to March 30, 2006) within which to respond to the Office Action dated September 30, 2005.

A check in the amount of \$1,020 for a 3 month extension fee under large entity is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee.

Date: March 28, 2006

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Respectfully submitted,

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	Application No.		10/696,845	<del></del>	
FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET	Filing Date		October 29	<del>`</del>	
(FY 2005)	First Inventor		Stephen P.	. MANGIN	
( 2000)			3738		
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Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)	Atty. D	Atty. Docket Number			
METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)	FEE CALCULATION (Continued)				
☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order	3. ADDITIONAL FEES				
Deposit Account No.:		Large Small Entity Fee Description			Fee paid
Deposit Account Name: DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby	Fee		ree Description		ree paid
authorized to: (check all that apply)			Curcharge late n	raviaianal Elina faa ar	
Charge any additional fees or underpayments of fee(s) under	50	cover sheet		rovisional filing fee or	
37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17  Credit any overpayments	130	130 65 Surcharge – Late fee or oath		nonprovisional filing	
Other (please identify):	180	0 180 Submission of IDS		3	
Extra Claim Fees	40	40 40 Recording each property (times nu		atent assignment per	
Current Claims Prior Extra Fee Fee Paid	120	60	• • • •	y within first month	
Total 29 - 22 = $\frac{7}{0}$ x $\frac{50}{100}$ = $\frac{350}{0}$ Ind. $\frac{3}{0}$ - $\frac{3}{0}$ = $\frac{3}{0}$	450			y within second month	
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Total (Extra Claims)\$ 350	1,590			y within fourth month	<b>V</b> 1,000
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Petition Fee Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), & (h)  Enclosed is a Petition filed under 37 CFR as indicated below:	790	•	Submission After		
Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(f) Fee \$400	500		Notice of Appeal		
§ 1.53(e) to accord a filing date.	500		Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
§ 1.57(a) to accord a filing date. § 1.182 for decision on a question not provided for.	1,000		Request for oral hearing		
§ 1.183 to suspend the rules. § 1.378(e) for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing delayed	130		Terminal Disclaimer Fee		
payment of maintenance fee in expired patent.  § 1.174(b) to accord a filing date to an application under §1.740 for extension	800		Design Issue Fee		
of patent term.			•	Request for Continued Examination	
Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(g) Fee \$200 § 1.12 for access to an assignment record.	790	395	(RCE) Request for voluntary publication or		
§ 1.14 for access to an application.	130	republication		tary publication or	
§ 1.47 for filing by other than all inventors or person not the inventor. § 1.59 for expungement of information.	500	250	Petition to Revive	Petition to Revive – unavoidable	
§ 1.103(a) to suspend action in an application. § 1.136(b) for review of a request for ext. of time when §1.136(a) not avail.	1,500	750	Petition to Revive – unintentional		
§ 1.295 for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration. § 1.296 to withdraw a req. for pub. after notice of intent to publish issued.	200		Filing for patent te	rm adjustment	
§ 1.377 for review of decision refusing to accept a maintenance fee filed	400		Request for reinst	atement of term	
prior to expiration of a patent.  § 1.550(c) for request for ext. of time in ex parte reexam. proceedings.	1,120	0	reduced Extension of term	of patent	
§ 1.956 for request for ext. of time in <u>ex parte</u> reexam. proceedings. § 5.12 for expedited handling of foreign filing license.		ER FEE	÷	• .	
§ 5.15 for changing the scope of a license. § 1.5.25 for retroactive license.	(spec		•		
Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h) Fee \$130			Subto	otal (Additional Fees)	\$1,020
§ 1.19(g) to request documents in a form other than provided in this part. § 1.84 for accepting color drawings or photographs.					,
§ 1.91 for entry of a model or exhibit.			Total Amo	ount of Payment:	\$1,370
§ 1.102(d) to make an application special. § 1.138(c) to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.					
§ 1.313 to withdraw an application from issue. § 1.314 to defer issuance of a patent.					
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